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1. REFTEL TRANSMITS TEXT OF TURKISH GENERAL STAFF (TGS)
LETTER OUTLINING JUSMMAT-TGS RELATIONSHIP IN WAKE OF
AID CUT-OFF. NSA REPRESENTATIVE HERE HAS RECEIVED
STRIKINGLY SIMILAR ORAL MESSAGE FROM CHIEF TURKISH SIGINT
ORGANIZATION (GES) REGARDING U.S.-GOT COOPERATION IN
SIGINT AFFAIRS. (NSA HAS BEEN ASKED PASS REPORT OF THIS
CONVERSATION RCI).

2. THESE ARE RELATIVELY MILD MEASURES, WHICH HURT TURKS MORE THAN US AND WHICH TGS LEADERS HAVE MADE CLEAR WILL NOT INTERRUPT HIGH LEVEL DIALOGUES ON IMPORTANT MATTERS. THEY SEEM TO SERVE BOTH AS AN INTERIM RESPONSE TO INTERNAL TURKISH PRESSURES FOR ACTION AGAINST U.S. MILITARY ACTIVITIES AND AS A WARNING TO US THAT MORE WILL FOLLOW IF AID IS NOT RESTORED. MACOMBER

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